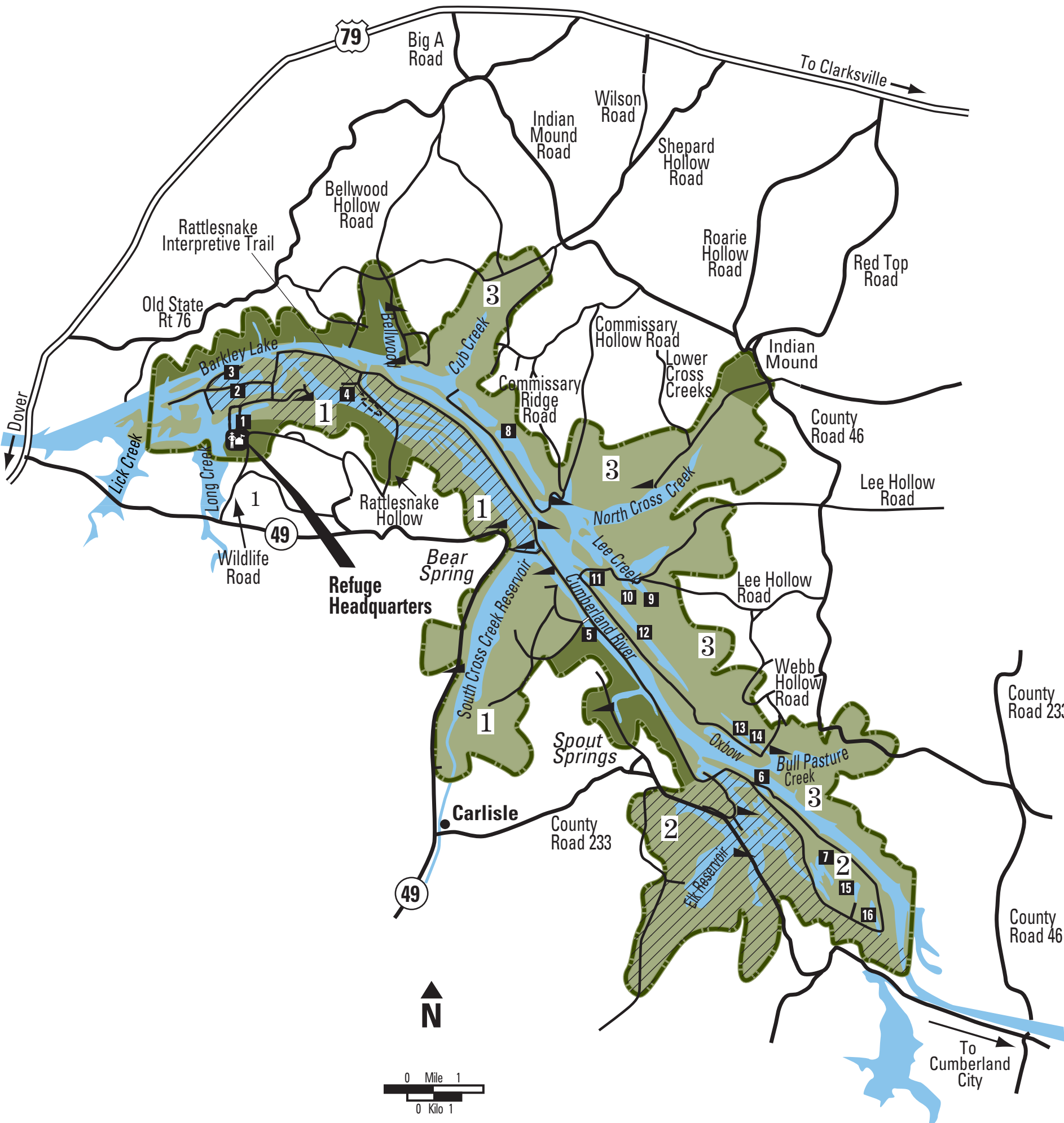
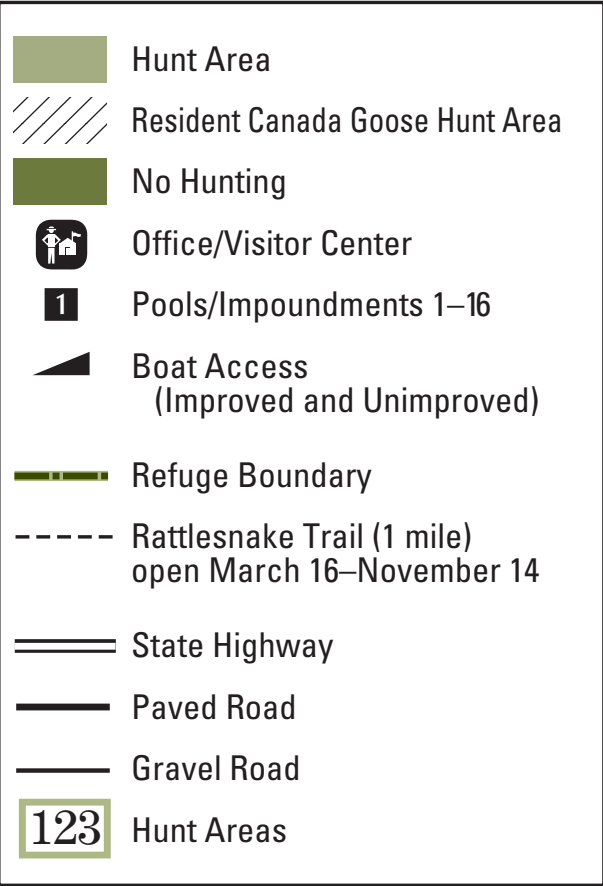
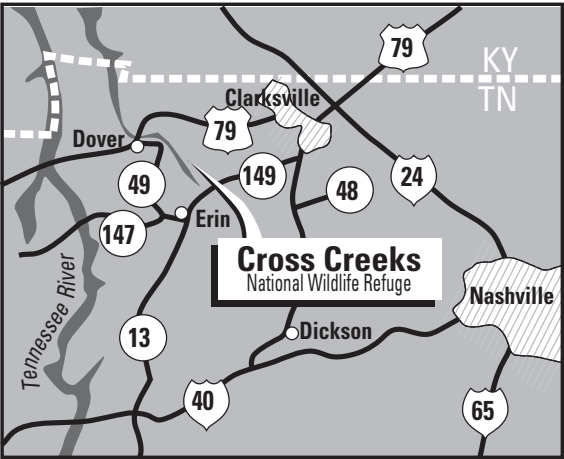


Cross Creeks

National Wildlife Refuge



Please respect the following signs
Millions of people visit national wildlife refuges each year. The impact of human activity, if not regulated, can degrade these wild lands. Signs help control recreational activities and respect private property while protecting natural resources on the refuge.



This sign and yellow paint clearly marks all refuge property. It is **your responsibility to know where the property lines are and hunt within the boundaries.**



This area is closed to all entry. No entering, hunting or sightseeing is permitted. No roads or trails beyond this sign are open to the public. Some of these signs may have dates indicating the length of time the area is closed.



This area is closed to **all** hunting. Firearms and archery equipment are strictly prohibited. (See map.)

2006-2007 Season Dates and Regulations-Non-Quota Hunts

Type	Season dates/Bag limits	Refuge specific regulations
Turkey Spring and Fall seasons	Spring turkey season open with statewide season. Fall season closed during weekend quota deer hunts and refuge youth hunts. Bag limit is one bearded turkey per season for spring hunt; statewide bag limit for Fall season.	Check Turkey at nearest check station and make sure that Cross Creeks National Wildlife Refuge is recorded as location of kill. Turkeys taken on the refuge are part of the statewide bag limit. Calling or attempting to call turkeys on the refuge is prohibited from March 16 until opening of turkey season.
Deer/Turkey (archery)	Statewide season through November 14. Season closed during weekend quota deer hunts and refuge youth hunts. State bag limits apply.	Deer taken on the refuge are counted as part of the statewide bag limit. Check deer at nearest check station and make sure that Cross Creeks National Wildlife Refuge is recorded as location of kill.
Squirrel	Fourth Saturday in August through November 14. Season closed during weekend quota deer hunts and refuge youth hunts. State bag limits apply.	
Deer Gun/Archery/ Muzzleloader (Youth)	September 30 - October 1 Bag limit is 3 deer and only one can be antlered.	
Resident Canada goose	First 10 days of state season; closed prior to early wood duck/teal season.	We permit the use of dogs to retrieve geese. Hunting from an agricultural field that was not harvested is prohibited with the exception of winter wheat. Hunting within 50 yards of public use roads or buildings on the refuge is prohibited. Shooting across any public road is prohibited. It is illegal to cut corn stalks or other vegetation on the refuge. You may use only portable blinds, and you must remove all boats, blinds, and decoys from the refuge at the end of each day's hunt. Permanent and/or pit blinds are prohibited.